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JOINT STATE-USIA MESSAGE

FOLLOWING SENT ACTION ISLAMABAD FROM KARACHI MAY 20  
REFEATED FOR YOU ACTION/INFO

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JOINT STATE-USIA MESSAGE

E.O. 11652: N/A  
SUBJECT: BHUTTO CAMPAIGN POSTERS

A SENIOR USIS KARACHI FSL WAS INVITED TO TEA THIS WEEK WITH A  
FORMER COLLEAGUE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLICATIONS OF THE  
MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND PASSED COPIES OF POSTERS WHICH WERE  
APPARENTLY ORDERED PRINTED BY THE MINISTRY FOR A COMING BHUTTO  
CAMPAIGN. 500,000 COPIES OF ELEVEN DIFFERENT POSTERS WERE  
PRINTED IN URDU, SINDHI, BALUCHI, AND PUSHTU LANGUAGES AND  
ARE BEING HELD IN KARACHI AWAITING FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS. OF  
THE ELEVEN, FOUR HAVE ANTI-AMERICAN CONTENT AND READ AS  
FOLLOWS:

POSTER #1, 29" X 19.5", HEADLINE; "BHUTTO'S FAULT  
1. HE IS CLASHING WITH SUPER-POWERS IN DEVELOPING NUCLEAR  
POWER FOR PAKISTAN.  
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2. HE IS WHOLEHEARTEDLY SUPPORTING THE ENTIRE MUSLIM  
WORLD, PARTICULARLY THE ARABS.  
3. THE IMPERIALISTS HATE TO SEE INCREASE IN THE NUCLEAR  
POWER TO MUSLIMS.  
BHUTTO'S STRENGTH, ISLAM'S STRENGTH.  
YOU DECIDE FOR YOURSELF. END QUOTE.

POSTER #2

SIZE: 29" X 19.5", HEADLINE; QUOTE

OUR TEST

DANGEROUS FOREIGN CONSPIRACY AGAINST PAKISTAN

1. DO WE HAVE THE STRENGTH TO DESTROY THIS DIRTY CON-  
SPIRACY OF PAKISTAN'S ENEMIES?

2. DO WE DESERVE TO REMAIN INDEPENDENT?

LET US UNITE AND RETALIATE

THE CONSPIRACY AGAINST PAKISTAN'S

INDEPENDENCE AND SOLIDARITY. END QUOTE

POSTER #3, 14.5" X 10", HEADLINE, QUOTE

THE CHALLENGE OF INTERNATIONAL CONSPIRACY

BE ON GUARD: HOW DARE YOU SET UP AN ATOMIC REPROCESSING

PLANT FOR PEACEFUL PURPOSES? LET YOUR

NEIGHBOUR EXPLODE AS MANY "PEACEFUL ATOMIC

DEVICES" AS POSSIBLE\*

BE ON GUARD: YOU TRIED TO UNITE THIRD WORLD COUNTRIES.

HOW DARE YOU CHALLENGE THE SUPER-POWER

HEDGEMONY?

BE ON GUARD: HOW DARE YOU TRY TO BECOME SELF-SUFFICIENT IN

ARMS AND BASIC INDUSTRIES, THEREBY TRYING TO

SNATCH AWAY OUR THIRTY-YEAR-OLD MARKET?

BE ON GUARD: HOW DARE YOU EVEN THINK OF AN INDEPENDENT

FOREIGN POLICE? DO YOU WANT TO GET OUT

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OF OUR COLONIAL GRASP?

WILL THE PROUD PEOPLE OF PAKISTAN KNEEL DOWN BEFORE THIS

THREAT? NO, NEVER

GET UNITED WITH ZULFIKAR ALI BHUTTO; BRAVELY MEET FACE TO

FACE ANY CONSPIRACY. END QUOTE.

POSTER #4

SIZE: 14.5" X 9", HEADLINE QUOTE

REVELATION\*

FOREIGN CONSPIRACY AGAINST PAKISTAN EXPOSED.

BACKGROUND OF THE CONSPIRACY:

1. IN ORDER TO BECOME SELF-SUFFICIENT IN ATOMIC POWER  
AND STOP DEPENDING ON OTHERS IN THE FIELD OF TECHNOLOGY,  
PAKISTAN DECIDED FIRMLY TO PROCURE A REPROCESSING PLANT.

2. IN THE MIDDLE EAST, PAKISTAN HELPED ITS ARAB BROTHERS  
IN THEIR STRUGGLE AGAINST ISRAEL.

3. TO PUT AN END TO THE EXPLOITATION OF POOR COUNTRIES

FROM RICH NATIONS, PAKISTAN PROPOSED A SUMMIT CONFERENCE  
OF THESE DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.

4. FOR THE UNITY OF THE WORD OF ISLAM, PAKISTAN HELD THE  
ISLAMIC SUMMIT CONFERENCE.

5. DESPITE OPPOSITION FROM SUPER-POWERS, PAKISTAN  
ESTABLISHED EXTREMELY CORDIAL RELATIONS WITH CHINA.

FOR THE SUCCESS OF THE CONSPIRACY:

- MASSIVE AMOUNTS OF FOREIGN CURRENCY WAS PUMPED INTO  
PAKISTAN.

- PNA'S AGITATION WAS PLANNED ON FOREIGN  
PATTERNS.

- THE "PAHYA JAM" OPERATION WAS ALSO DESIGNED  
ON A FOREIGN PATTERN.

IS IT NOT TRUE THAT IN THE COUNTRY...?

- BANKSWERE BURNT SO THAT PAKISTAN'S ECONOMY  
MAY BE SHATTERED.

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- LARGE INDUSTRIES AND FACTORIES WERE DESTROYED  
SO THAT OUR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL TRADE MAY ALSO  
BE DESTROYED.

- RAILWAY TRACKS WERE DAMAGED SO THAT INNOCENT  
PASSENGERS MAY BE KILLED AND A REIGN OF TERROR MAY  
BE LET LOOSE ON PEOPLE -

- POSTS OFFICES AND OTHER GOVERNMENT BULIDINGS  
WERE SET ON FIRE TO ADVERSELY AFFECT NATIONAL  
FINANCES.

- THE MOVEMENT ADVISING PEOPLE NOT TO PAY TAXES,  
WAS LAUNCHED TO CREATE FINANCIAL PROBLEMS FOR THE  
COUNTRY.

- STRIKES WERE ENCOURAGED SO THAT LIFE MAY  
BECOME TOPSY-TURVY AND GET PARALYZED.

ALL THIS WAS DONE UNDER A PRE-PLANNED, DEEP-ROOTED  
CONSPIRACY, SO THAT PAKISTAN'S ECONOMY MAY BE DESTROYED,  
LAWLESSNESS MAY SPREAD IN THE COUNTRY, PEOPLE, NAY THE  
ENTIRE NATION MAY GET LOST IN CHAOTIC CONDITIONS, SO THAT  
PAKISTAN'S ENEMIES, THE FOREIGN POWER AND ITS AGENTS MAY  
ACHIEVE SUCCESS IN THEIR DIRTY PLANS AND PAKISTAN MAY BE  
DISINTEGRATED. END QUOTE.

OTHER POSTERS DEALT WITH INTERNAL ISSUES. A FEW HAD  
PICTURES OF PM AT THE TOP.

MOORE UNQUOTE  
CONSTABLE

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